

1. Solve the simultaneous equations

$$x^2 + y^2 = 29 \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$y - x = 3$$

$$y = 3 + x$$

sub $y = 3 + x$ into $\textcircled{1}$

$$x^2 + (3+x)^2 = 29$$

$$x^2 + 9 + 6x + x^2 = 29$$

$$2x^2 + 6x - 20 = 0$$

$$x^2 + 3x - 10 = 0$$

$$(x+5)(x-2) = 0$$

$$x = -5 \quad x = 2$$

$$\begin{aligned} y &= 3 + (-5) & y &= 3 + (2) \\ &= -2 & &= 5 \end{aligned}$$

$x = -5$ and $y = -2$ or $x = 2$ and $y = 5$

(Total 7 marks)

2. Bill said that the line $y = 6$ cuts the curve $x^2 + y^2 = 25$ at two points.

(a) By eliminating y show that Bill is incorrect.

$$x^2 + (6)^2 = 25$$

$$x^2 + 36 = 25$$

$$x^2 = -11$$

There are no solutions. (You can not square root a negative number)

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(b) By eliminating y , find the solutions to the simultaneous equations

$$x^2 + y^2 = 25$$

$$y = 2x - 2$$

$$x^2 + (2x - 2)^2 = 25$$

$$x^2 + 4x^2 - 4x - 4x + 4 = 25$$

$$5x^2 - 8x - 21 = 0$$

$$(5x + 7)(x - 3) = 0$$

$$x = -\frac{7}{5} \quad x = 3$$

$$y = 2\left(-\frac{7}{5}\right) - 2$$

$$y = 2(3) - 2$$

$$= -\frac{14}{5} - 2$$

$$= 6 - 2$$

$$= -\frac{24}{5}$$

$$x = -\frac{7}{5}, y = -\frac{24}{5}$$

$$\text{or } x = 3, y = 4$$

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(Total 8 marks)

3. By eliminating y , find the solutions to the simultaneous equations

$$x^2 + y^2 = 25$$
$$y = x - 7$$

$$x^2 + (x-7)^2 = 25$$

$$x^2 + x^2 - 14x + 49 = 25$$

$$2x^2 - 14x + 24 = 0$$

$$x^2 - 7x + 12 = 0$$

$$(x-3)(x-4) = 0$$

$$x = 3 \quad x = 4$$

$$y = (3) - 7 \quad y = (4) - 7$$

$$= -4 \quad = -3$$

$$x = \dots \underline{3} \dots \quad y = \dots \underline{-4} \dots$$

$$\text{or } x = \dots \underline{4} \dots \quad y = \dots \underline{-3} \dots$$

(Total 6 marks)

4. By eliminating y , find the solutions to the simultaneous equations

$$y - 2x = 3 \quad y = 2x + 3$$

$$x^2 + y^2 = 18$$

$$x^2 + (2x+3)^2 = 18$$

$$x^2 + 4x^2 + 6x + 9 = 18$$

$$5x^2 + 12x + 9 = 0$$

$$(5x + 3)(x + 3) = 0$$

$$x = \frac{3}{5} \quad x = -3$$

$$y = 2\left(\frac{3}{5}\right) + 3 \quad y = 2(-3) + 3$$

$$= \frac{6}{5} + 3 \quad y = -6 + 3$$

$$= \frac{21}{5} \quad = -3$$

$$x = \dots \frac{3}{5} \dots \quad y = \dots \frac{21}{5} \dots$$

$$\text{or } x = \dots -3 \dots \quad y = \dots -3 \dots$$

(Total 7 marks)

5. Solve the simultaneous equations

$$x^2 + y^2 = 5$$

$$y = 3x + 1$$

$$x^2 + (3x+1)^2 = 5$$

$$x^2 + 9x^2 + 6x + 1 = 5$$

$$10x^2 + 6x - 4 = 0$$

$$5x^2 + 3x - 2 = 0$$

$$(5x-2)(x+1) = 0$$

$$x = \frac{2}{5} \quad x = -1$$

$$y = 3\left(\frac{2}{5}\right) + 1 \quad y = 3(-1) + 1$$

$$= \frac{6}{5} + 1 = -3 + 1$$

$$= \frac{11}{5}$$

$$x = \frac{2}{5} \quad y = \frac{11}{5}$$

$$\text{or } x = -1 \quad y = -2$$

(Total 6 marks)

6. Solve the simultaneous equations

$$x + y = 4 \quad y = 4 - x$$

$$x^2 + y^2 = 40$$

$$x^2 + (4 - x)^2 = 40$$

$$x^2 + 16 - 8x + x^2 = 40$$

$$2x^2 - 8x - 24 = 0$$

$$x^2 - 4x - 12 = 0$$

$$(x - 6)(x + 2) = 0$$

$$x = 6 \quad x = -2.$$

$$y = -2 \quad y = 6$$

$$x = \dots, y = \dots$$

or

$$x = \dots, y = \dots$$

(Total 7 marks)

7. By eliminating x , find the solutions to the simultaneous equations

$$\begin{aligned}x - 2y &= 1 \\x^2 + y^2 &= 13\end{aligned}$$

$$(2y+1)^2 + y^2 = 13$$

$$4y^2 + 4y + 1 + y^2 = 13$$

$$5y^2 + 4y - 12 = 0$$

$$(5y - 6)(y + 2) = 0$$

$$y = \frac{6}{5} \quad y = -2$$

$$\begin{aligned}x &= 2\left(\frac{6}{5}\right) + 1 & x &= 2(-2) + 1 \\&= \frac{12}{5} + 1 &&= -4 + 1 \\&= \frac{17}{5} &&= -3\end{aligned}$$

$$x = \dots, y = \frac{6}{5}$$

$$\text{or } x = \dots, y = \dots$$

(Total 7 marks)